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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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- Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
- Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
- Specification [Total Pages 31]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive title of the invention
 - Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (*if filed*)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
- Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 7]
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- a. Newly executed (original or copy)
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(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)
- b.
- i. **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)
named in the prior application, see 37 CFR
1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
- Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

Attorney Docket No.	F0650
First Inventor	Singh, et al.
Title	MAINTENANCE SCHEDULING
Express Mail Label No.	EL782426499US

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9. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement Power of Attorney
(when there is an assignee)
11. English Translation Document (*if applicable*)
12. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS Citations
13. Preliminary Amendment
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(if foreign priority is claimed)
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REQUEST AND CERTIFICATION
UNDER 35 USC 122(b)(2)(B)(i)

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See 37 CFR 1.27

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105	130	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	Extension for reply within first month	
116	390	Extension for reply within second month	
117	890	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,390	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,890	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	310	Notice of Appeal	
120	310	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	270	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,240	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,240	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	440	Design issue fee	
144	600	Plant issue fee	
122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	240	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	40.00
146	710	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	710	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179	710	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
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**REQUEST AND CERTIFICATION
UNDER
35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)**

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Title	MAINTENANCE SCHEDULING EMPLOYING ...
Atty Docket Number	F0650

I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application **has not and will not be** the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing. I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

February 6, 2001

Date



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